



Bar Hill News

The Monthly Magazine of the Residents Association

The objects of the BHRA are to act as an intermediary between the residents and other parties, to keep residents informed of matters of importance and recreation in and around the village, and to promote the interest of BAR HILL VILLAGE.

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* We wish all our readers a peaceful Christmas and New Year *

"Bar Hill top of Parish magazines" : Cambridgeshire Weekly News.

"This fact-packed newsletter" : Cambridge Evening News.

Many of you will have seen, on November 15th, that this magazine has won the £100 first prize in a competition for community magazines and newsletters, organised by the Cambridge Evening News and the British Association of Industrial Editors (the organisation for internal company newspaper editors). We hope to be able to use this prize, donated by Eastern Gas, to further improve the print quality.

We would not have been considered for a prize without so many news reports from local organisations. Thank you - please keep them coming in. A special thank you must also go to all who help with the production; whether by typing, printing, collating, delivering, or any other task I may have overlooked.

We must also congratulate the production team of the Sunshine Playgroup Newsletter on being awarded a special prize of £20 in the same competition.

BAR HILL NEWS

The next full edition of the Bar Hill News will be the February issue. Articles, letters and small advertisements for that issue should reach Martin Avery, 23 Foxhollow (CH 81233) by January 20th. Advertising enquiries to Bunty Waters, 77 Foxhollow (CH 81493).

Early in January we will publish a diary of events. If you are organising any meetings or events in January or early February which have not been included in this issue, please let me have the details no later than December, 20th.

Martin Avery, Editor (CH 81233)

EVENTS THIS MONTH

DECEMBER

Church services are detailed inside under the heading "Bar Hill Church". There are services every Sunday and Wednesday (pre-school children) and on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

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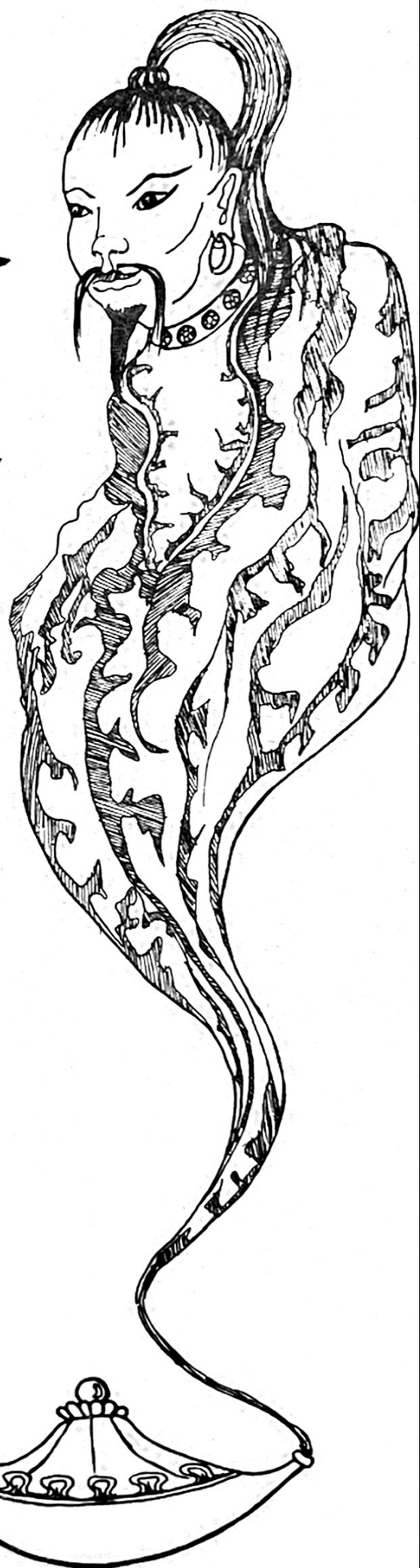
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DECEMBER

Tues. 4th	2.00	Tea at Ten Party	Church Centre
	7.30	Christmas Cake Decoration	School
	8.00	NHR Discussion	31 Hollytrees
Wed. 5th	10.00	Nearly New Sale	Church Centre
Fri. 7th	2.15	Toy Library	Sunshine Playgroup
Sat. 8th	2.00	Karate competition	School
	2.00	Christmas Fayre	Church Centre
Mon. 10th	8.00	Residents Association	School
	8.00	NHR Discussion	18 Stonefield
Tues. 11th	7.30	W.I. Guest Speaker	School
Fri. 14th	7.30	Indoor Bowls Open Evening	School
	8.00	Conservative Association Dinner	School
	8.00	Disco	Village Hall
Mon. 17th	8.00	Allotments & Gardens Society	
		A.G.M.	Scout Hut
Tues. 18th	7.30	Parish Council	School
Wed. 19th	8.00	NHR Book Group	t.b.a.
Thurs. 20th	8.00	Royal British Legion	School
Fri. 21st	12.15	Christmas Lunch	Church Centre
	8.00	Disco	Village Hall
Mon. 31st	8.00	New Year's Eve Party	Village Hall

JANUARY

Tues. 3th	7.30	W.I. Guest Speaker	School
	8.00	NHR Games Evening	104 Appletrees
Thurs. 10th	7.30	Embroidery Open Evening	School
	8.00	3 O'clock Club Coffee Evening	13 Gladeside.

Weekly events (some activities stop during school holidays)

Monday	4.15	Brownies	School
	5.45	Brownies	School
	6.45	Guides	School
Tuesday	8.00	Table Tennis	School
Wednesday	10.00	Tea at Ten	Church Centre
	2.30	Toddlers Service	Church Centre
	5.45	Brownies	School
	7.00	Bridge Club	School
Thursday	6.15	Rainbow Club	Church Centre
Saturday	2.00	Under 15 Disco	Village Hall
Sunday	10.00	Morning Worship	Church Centre
	8.00	Prayer Fellowship	Church Centre

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ANNOUNCEMENT : We would like to welcome Doctor Jacob Hassan who is now working regularly at the Health Centre with Doctor Newsom and Doctor Meyer.

The Revised Surgery Hours are as follows :

Monday :	8.30 - 12.30	3.00 - 3.00 pm
Tuesday :	9.00 - 11.00	4.00 - 3.00 pm
Wednesday :	9.00 - 10.30	4.00 - 5.00 pm (alternate weeks)
Thursday :	9.30 - 12.00	3.30 - 3.30 pm
Friday :	9.00 - 11.00	3.00 - 3.00 pm
Saturday :	Emergency only at 1 Huntingdon Road, Cambridge.	

LIBRARY

Please note that the Mobile Library will not be visiting Bar Hill on Thursday 8th December. Normal service will be resumed on Thursday 19th December.

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PARISH COUNCIL NOTES

The monthly meeting of the Parish Council was held on Tuesday 20th November at 7.30 p.m. in Bar Hill School.

Youth Club

After full discussion it was agreed unanimously that in view of the present condition of the Farm House the Youth Club must be temporarily closed on grounds of both safety and public hygiene. The Council regrets having to make this decision and the matter will be discussed at greater length at the December meeting of the Parish Council, when it will form a separate item on the Agenda.

Street lighting

It was reported that Eastern Electricity have been carrying out repairs to the street lighting system in the Gladeside area, and in several places the footpath has had to be dug up. These holes have been protected by fencing but in several cases children have been playing in them. Eastern Electricity warn of the dangers of this and the Parish Council endorses this warning, in this instance and also in the case of other repair works and building sites. Please ensure that your children are not allowed to play in and around these dangerous areas, before serious injury or a fatality occurs.

Library

The Chairman reported on a meeting between representatives of the Parish Council and the County Librarian to discuss library facilities and future plans. Although no firm decision has yet been made, it seems likely that Bar Hill will be granted a static library, which may be housed in a temporary building until funds permit the construction of a permanent one. Various sites for this were discussed, as were other possible uses for the library premises. The meeting was generally considered to have been most useful, and further information will be given as it becomes available.

Bar Hill News

The Parish Council was delighted with the success of the Bar Hill News in winning the Community News Contest, and would like to congratulate the Residents Association and the editor and all those concerned in any way with the preparation, printing, collating or distributing of the magazine. The Bar Hill News is a vital part of our village life, and its continuing success is of great importance and interest to us all.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Tuesday 18th December at 7.30 p.m. in Bar Hill School. Any interested resident is welcome to attend, although non-members may not speak unless the Council invites them to do so.

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BAR HILL CHURCH

Bar Hill Church warmly welcomes you to attend any of the following services or events. The Church is jointly sponsored by the Baptists, Church of England, Methodists, Society of Friends, and the United Reformed Church.



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Details of Services

Sunday 2nd December
ADVENT SUNDAY

10 am Holy Communion
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Sunday 9th December
BIBLE SUNDAY

8 am Holy Communion
10 am Morning Worship
Preacher : Rev. James Newcome
7 pm Open to God Service

Sunday 16th December

10 am Holy Communion
Preacher : Rev. James Newcome

Sunday 23rd December

8 am Holy Communion
10 am Morning Worship
8 pm VILLAGE CAROL SERVICE

Monday 24th December
CHRISTMAS EVE

3 pm Crib and Toy Service
11.30 pm MIDNIGHT COMMUNION

Tuesday 25th December
CHRISTMAS DAY

10 am FAMILY SERVICE
followed by a Celebration of the
Lord's Supper

Sunday 30th December

8 am Holy Communion
10 am Morning Worship
Society of Friends

Sunday 5th January
EPIPHANY

10 am Holy Communion
Preacher : Rev. James Newcome

A Toddlers Service takes place at 2.30 p.m. on Wednesdays and 2 pm on 19th December when it will be followed by a party.

Rainbow Club (for children aged 5-11) meets from 6.15 - 7.15 pm on Thursdays.

A Creche is provided for the 10 am Morning Service, and special provision is made for children and young people up to 14 years old.

The Prayer Fellowship meets on Sundays at 3 pm in the Chapel.

JUNIOR CHURCH NEWS,

BLUE PETER ETHIOPIAN APPEAL

Rainbow Club are going to save postage stamps for the E.E.C. Children's T.V. Programme Blue Peter. They have asked children to send stamps to raise money for Ethiopia.

It would be nice if every one helped us to collect as many stamps as possible. Our collecting box will be left in the church foyer until February for you to pop your stamps into. Thank you.

June Hinchliffe, Junior Church Co-ordinator.

On behalf of the Royal British Legion, Bar Hill Branch, I would like to thank the public for their very generous support to the 1984 Poppy Appeal. The actual total collected was £685.55.

THANK YOU

£1295 in total has been donated by the following individuals and firms to purchase an Electro Cardiogram (ECG) machine for Bar Hill Health Centre.

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We would like to thank Mr. Postings of Amberley, The Fairway, who acted as our Fund Raiser. His warm personality helped to make this project so successful.

Dr. Newsom, Dr. Meyer and Dr. Hassan, Bar Hill Health Centre.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sirs,

May I offer congratulations to the Editor, printer and those closely connected with the 'Bar Hill News' on your success in winning the 'Community News Contest, organised by the Cambridge News. The Bar Hill News is a vital link for information with Bar Hill, especially now the village is so large. I doubt we all realise the amount of work needed each month to produce the 'News' but we would certainly miss it if it didn't land on our doormats monthly.

Many thanks to all concerned and again congratulations.

Yours sincerely,

Jan Mutch, 12 Acorn Avenue.

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The Smith family of 79 Hollytrees wish to thank their many friends in the village, for all their sympathy, understanding and practical help, following the tragic death of Wife and Mother Veronica (Von) on 18th October.

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GOOD NEIGHBOURS OVER 60'S CLUB

Thanks to all who supported our Autumn Fayre. We raised £105.38.

Maureen Burlton.

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Our programme encourages - friendliness, helpfulness, respect.

Interest Badges - many badges can be gained based on possible hobbies; work towards these can be carried out at home and at pack meetings.

Brownie packs are funded by subscriptions of £3 per Brownie per term, plus money raised during the year. This goes to pay for badges, materials used at meetings, yearly census fees and brownie outings.

The Guiders are voluntary.

We now have three Brownie packs in Bar Hill; if your daughter would like her name put on a pack's waiting list contact one of the following :

1st Bar Hill Brownies

Mon. 5.45 - 7.15 pm Bar Hill School Hall. Guider - Mrs. D. Impey (30311)

2nd Bar Hill Brownies

Mon. 4.15 - 5.45 pm Bar Hill School, Small Hall.
Guider - Mrs. H. Wheeler (31203)

3rd Bar Hill Brownies

Wed. 5.45 - 7.15 pm Bar Hill School Small Hall
Guider - Miss J. Harding (31395)

Is there anyone who would be willing to transport people to and from the Hospitals and the Health Centre ?

The cost of petrol would be paid by the patient.

If so, please leave your name, address and telephone number at the Health Centre. Thank you.

CHILDHOOD 5 - 10

There will be a meeting on Monday 14th January at 8.00 pm at 23 Foxhollow to make arrangements for studying this short course from the Open University - how often we should meet, where, which evening is most convenient, and so on. If you have never studied this type of course before, you may be surprised to find how straightforward, interesting and un-demanding they are. I envisage a series of maybe six meetings, each lasting two hours or so, during which we can watch the videotape of the four half hour television programmes and discuss them in relation to our own experiences. There is a book associated with the course which should also provide material for discussion. You need not do any homework or assignments unless you want to and with luck it need not cost anything! Please talk to me if you would like more information or just turn up on the night.

Chris Avery, 23 Foxhollow. C.H. 81233

The Bar Hill Karate Club is holding a Karate Competition on Saturday 8th December at 2.00 p.m. at the Bar Hill School.

Come along and support your village club.

Admission - Adults 25p Children 10p. Under 10 Free

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GRAND CHRISTMAS LUNCH

ON

FRIDAY 21st DECEMBER 1984

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JANUARY - 3 course lunch, Church Centre, 21st January.

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BAR HILL CONSERVATIVES

Friday 14th December, Church Centre, 8.00 pm, Christmas Dinner.

Tickets £4 from Roger Hall, 11 Almond Grove (80304), Robin Cruse,

1 Pheasant Rise (81292) or Bob Elbourn, 18 Appletrees (81444).

Guest Speaker Amadbe Turner, Q.C., M.E.P. (Member of the European Parliament for Suffolk and S.E. Cambridgeshire).

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BAR HILL TOY LIBRARY

Thank you to all who supported our Nearly New Toy Sale which proved to be very successful.

The Toy Library session in December (Friday 7th December 2.15 - 4.00 in the Sunshine Playgroup Building) will be for the return only of toys (for our annual stocktaking). All toys must be returned at this session. The first Toy Library session of the New Year will be on Friday 18th January, 2.15 - 4.00 pm.

We still need helpers for Toy Library sessions - this involves helping approximately every six weeks for a two hour session. If you could help please contact Linda Lawson (CH 80774) or any other committee member.

Please remember to save any toy boxes you may have at Christmas for Toy Library (particularly Fisher Price, Matchbox, Lego).

Happy Xmas to all our toy library members.

Chris Doberska (80537)

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THE SUNSHINE PLAYGROUP

First of all we would like to add our congratulations, along with many others, to the publishing team of the Bar Hill News for scooping the first prize in the recent competition held by the Cambridge Community Venture Group. We would also like to congratulate our own "Editor-in-Chief" on being highly commended for producing Sunshine's own monthly Newsletter, and receiving for Playgroup at £85 prize donated from the British Association of Industrial Editors - Congratulations Roz and many thanks for all your effort on our behalf. Could parents please note that because we run a small playgroup we now have few places to offer before September 1986 as we are fully booked. So if your child is 18 months or younger and you would like them to come to Sunshine, please contact Sheena Hood on 81552 for details.

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BAR HILL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

A reminder to all our members and others that the shop is open the first Sunday of each month now that winter approaches. Also, may I remind you all that the A.G.M. will be held on Monday 17th December at 8.00pm in the scout hut (adjacent to the Village Hall). Everybody is welcome as we desperately need more committee members. There are only five of us and as we are losing our secretary this year we are in danger of folding up. Little work is involved, especially if we get more volunteers and committee meetings are only called when necessary - so any of you who value the society, come along and give us your support.

May I take this opportunity of thanking all our members for their past support and hope it continues. Wishing you all a merry Xmas on behalf of the B.H.A.G.S. committee.

D.R. Young
97 Hollytrees (CH 81048)

TEA AT TEN

Everyone is welcome to come to meet friends and make new ones from 10.00 - 11.30am every Wednesday morning in the Church Centre

Our next Nearly New Sale will be on Wednesday 5th December from 10.00 - 11.30am. Please bring all items for sale labelled with your name and the price to the Church by 10 o'clock, 25% of the price goes to Church Funds. Unsold items and/or money should be collected at 11.20am.

We shall be having our Christmas Party on Tuesday 4th December from 2 - 4pm (PLEASE NOTE THE DATE, DAY AND TIME). We hope it will be as successful as last years', and that Father Christmas will make an appearance. Our last meeting will be on Wednesday 5th December and we will meet again on Wednesday 16th January.

Bobby Colver (CH 80865)

BAR HILL AND DISTRICT CHILDMINDERS

We would like to thank all those who gave to and helped us with our Jumble Sale which was very successful and money raised will go towards the children's Christmas Party which is held annually.

We are a thriving group and meet once a month for lively meetings and an occasional film, if anyone is interested in childminding they are most welcome to come to one of our meetings. We are members of the National Childminding Association who recommend what our charges may be, the average is 75p per hour (in fact in Cambridge they charge over £1 per hour).

For further information please contact secretary, Sue Hemsley
81350.

BAR HILL PRE-SCHOOL PLAYGROUP

This year's Christmas Fayre is on Saturday December 8th at the Church Centre. We are combining with Toddler Group to give you, we hope, an enjoyable afternoon out.

The stalls we are asking you to contribute to are Homemade Cakes, at this time of year we are all baking for our own table so please could you pop an extra cake in for Playgroup. Also we are having a Red and Gold Stall and we are asking you to look in all the cupboards and drawers for anything Red or Gold eg hankies, nail varnish, jams etc. Playgroup Shop will also be there so you can stock up with paint, glue and dough to keep the children occupied in the run up to Christmas. Webb Ivory and Novelty Balloons will also be on sale and of course SANTA will be in his Grotto. We look forward to seeing you all.

As the term is drawing to a close may I remind parents of children coming up to Playgroup age to get their children's name onto the waiting list for Playgroup. Our administrator Jane Gedny would also like to hear from those people who can spare 2½ hours a week to help at Playgroup.

NATIONAL HOUSEWIVES REGISTER

The N.H.R. is for all women, housewife or not, to enjoy discussions, talks and meetings of a non-domestic nature. Our seasonal meetings are as follows:-

Tuesday December 4th at 84 Hollytrees, 8.00pm. "Where did we come from? Apes of the Almighty?" A discussion on Creation v. Evolution.

Monday December 10th at 18 Stonefield, 8.00pm. "Where were we 10 years ago?" Personal thoughts of 1974.

on Friday 21st or Sunday 23rd December we shall be Carol Singing around the village. Please listen out for us and support us - we collect for a favourite charity. Venue for thawing out afterwards to be arranged.

Tuesday 8th January, 1985, at 104 Appletrees, 8.00pm Games evening - board and card type only!

BOOK GROUP will be meeting on Wednesday 19th December at 8.00pm. The venue had not been arranged at the time of going to press - ring me for this information. We are reading extracts from a selection of diaries including "The Growing Pains of Adrian Mole" by Sue Townsend. Everyone welcome - bring a bottle or something to eat (well it's nearly Christmas!)

All enquiries from Local Organiser, Jan Mutch (CH 81093)

TABLE TENNIS CLUB - OPEN EVENING

We are having an Open Evening on Tuesday 29th January 1985 in the Small Hall at the School, 8pm - 10pm. If you are interested in Table Tennis please note the date in your 1985 diary. Old and new members will be very welcome to come and play and partake of light refreshments. Further details from Peter Thorne, CH 80856 or Anne Pitman, CH 80216.



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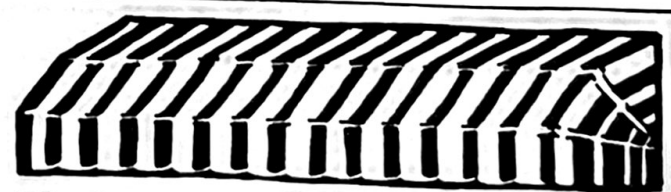
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May I be one of the first to wish you all a very Happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year. The end of the year is speeding to its close with a host of happenings to look forward to at your community school. This half term we have had Practical Self Defence for Women and Christmas Flower Arranging, both five week courses which have now ended. The Indian Cooking evening went very well and we were all treated to a mini feast at the end sampling the lovely food we had seen prepared. I am hopeful that I may be able to tempt Mrs. Chopra back again to give us another very enjoyable evening. This month we have a Christmas Cake Decorating Demonstration on Tuesday 4th December at 7.30pm given by Mrs Spence from the Country Centre. Come along and get inspired to make your Christmas Cake the artistic highlight of your Christmas Table.

Next term we have an Embroidery Class starting for five weeks - by popular request - on Wednesdays. The first class is on Wednesday 16th January but before that we have a free 'taster' evening on Thursday 10th January when you are invited to come along to the school to see the kind of work which will be covered. The evening starts at 7.30pm. Should you decide to enrol for the course the fee will be £7.50 for the five weeks.

Also in January we have another of our 'one off' evenings. this time we have a talk on the History and Treasure of Belvoir Castle by a guide from the castle. Costumes and objects d'art will be shown from the castles collection and you will be invited to ask questions. We might even hire a coach for a trip to see the Castle in the spring should the response be favourable. Anyway, come along on Thursday 24th January at 7.30pm, the tickets will cost 75p.

Before Christmas really envelopes us in its usual whirl we have one more evening for you all to participate in. Indoor Bowls has struck Bar Hill. An open evening for anyone who is even mildly interested is to be held on Friday 14th December at 7.30pm with the intention of starting a club in the village to meet on Friday evenings and one other session to be agreed upon. This game is suitable for all ages although at the moment we may have to confine it to over 16's and under 100! Anyway come along on the 14th and meet members of the Hardwick Indoor Bowls team who will demonstrate and help you help yourself to a game. You've seen it on TV, now see it live!

Happy Christmas to you all, especially those who will be spending their first Christmas in Bar Hill be they newcomers or babes under one.

Irene Abraham
Community Co-ordinator

PS. I must congratulate the Editor and his backroom helpers for their success with our monthly Newsletter in the competition for the best Community Newspaper in the County. The prize must be a great morale booster to them and a recognition of all their hard work.

Thanks must also go to the Parish Council in their efforts to create a pleasantly wooded walk within the parish. This will take some years to mature but when it does the village will have cause to thank the Council for its forethought.

BAR HILL COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

HOLIDAY GERMAN

Second session of this easy to follow course starts

Thursday 17th January at 7.30

New members will be welcome

BAR HILL COMMUNITY SCHOOL USERS ASSOCIATION

CHRISTMAS CAKE ICING - Tuesday 4th December, 7.30pm, 75p

EMBROIDERY OPEN EVENING - Thursday 10th January, 7.30pm, FREE

HISTORY AND TREASURES OF BELVOIR CASTLE - Thursday 24th January,
7.30pm, 75p

BAR HILL W.I. (WOMEN'S INSTITUTE)

Monthly meetings (2nd Tuesday of each month) at 7.30pm prompt in the Norton Room of Bar Hill Community Primary School.

Tuesday 11th December: "ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE"; a talk covering ten forms of alternative therapy by Mr. J. West.

Tuesday 8th January 1985, we hope to have a talk by a Marriage Guidance counsellor. Details pending.

Friendly meetings, age 13 minimum. Visitors may attend for two months (45p/evening) before deciding to join. Further information available from: W.I. House, Tel. Cambridge 354095, Tues/Wed/Fri 9.00am - 3.00pm.

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

A.G.M. of the Royal British Legion Bar Hill Branch was held on the 18th October 1984. Officers elected to the committee were:

Chairman Mr E. Patrick, 27 Partridge Drive, Bar Hill
Vice Chairman Mr. W. Thompson, "The Fox", Bar Hill
Secretary Mr. H. Adams, 3 Hanover Close, Bar Hill
Treasurer Mr. H. Pennick, 22 Partridge Drive, Bar Hill
Entertainments Mr. J. Bunten, 7 Acorn Avenue, Bar Hill

The Royal British Legion Bar Hill was reformed on the 8th March 1984, our membership is very small. I am sure that there are many ex members and serving members of Her Majesty's forces on Bar Hill who are not aware of our existence. Those who read this letter and are interested in joining us, please do contact any of the officers listed. Our next general meeting will be held on the 20th December 1984 at the Bar Hill Primary School, meeting starts about 8.00pm.

Since our reformation we have had rather a successful year. The Bar Hill summer fete held on the 30th June was our first venture, and although the membership of the Legion at this time was small, we managed to put on a very good show.

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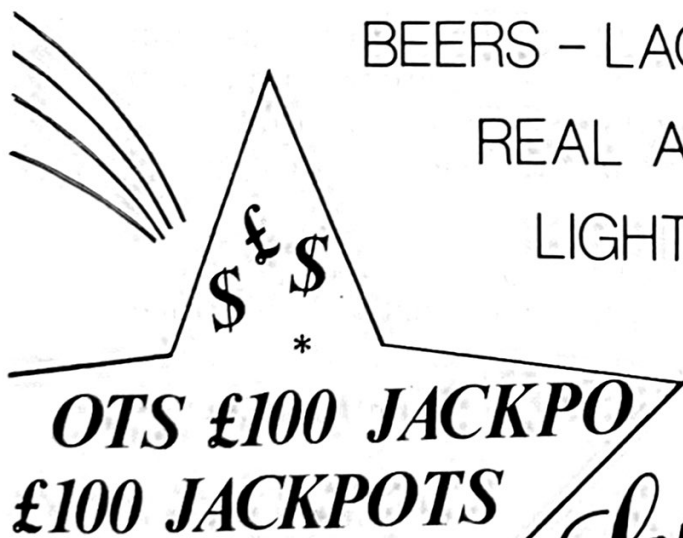
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Royal British Legion (continued)

On the 13th October we held a dance, the attendance was very disappointing, but the dance was a great success. We hope to hold another dance in the very near future, details will be in the Bar Hill Newsletter, so do please read your Newsletter.

We, the committee, hope to hear from all who are interested in our little branch and hope that next year we can become a very active group.

BAR HILL BRIDGE CLUB

We meet weekly on a Wednesday evening from 7.00 to 10.00pm at the Village School during term time. The atmosphere is very cosy and informal. We need new members so if you are interested, whatever your standard of play, please contact me.

Tom Fleming
56 Pheasant Rise (80802)

8 O'CLOCK CLUB

December 6th - Xmas Meal for members only.

Please note that the coffee evening in January at Marian's, 13 Gladeside is on the 10th and not the 3rd.

Barbara 80933

DISCOS AT THE VILLAGE HALL

There are Discos at the Village Hall on Fridays from 8.00pm to midnight. The dates for December are the 14th and the 21st. A licenced bar is provided and food is available. Admission £1.75. On New Years Eve (Monday 31st) there is a party from 8pm to 1am.

Under 15 Discos are held every Saturday afternoon between 2.00pm and 4.30pm. Admission 50p. Parents are welcome free of charge.

Brian Lane
197 Appletrees, CH 81631

WASTE PAPER

Bar Hill Scouts and Cubs re-cycle waste paper and cardboard. A trailer is parked outside the school on the last Saturday of each month. Paper will be collected if necessary.

STONEWHEEL VIDEO NEWS

There's a lot happening in the Video Shop on the lead up to Christmas, with most of the major distributors making Gift offers, for instance ORM & CHEEP is accompanied by two free books which makes a wonderful surprise for the children.

Other gift ideas that we are offering at inexpensive prices are "guaranteed" blank tapes from £4.99 and a huge range of computer game tapes from £1.99 these fit Spectrum, Commodore, VIC BBC and Dragon. Library cases are a good practical and inexpensive gift, as are our range of childrens' cassette tapes, each one has at least two stories and is accompanied by a colouring book and crayons - a super stocking filler at only £1.99.

Of course we can order any video whether its a music release or a feature if you want to surprise someone with their favourite film.

YENTL has just been released and will be as popular as other recent classics like TOOTSIE, THE EMPIRE STRIKES BACK and EDUCATING RITA.

OUR CURRENT TOP TWENTY IS:-

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| 2. TOOTSIE | 12. SCARFACE |
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| 4. FAWLTY TOWERS 1,2,3 & 4 | 14. TERMS OF ENDEARMENT |
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| 7. YENTL | 17. UNCOMMON VALOUR |
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| 10. TRADING PLACES | 20. BREATHLESS |

We look forward to seeing you soon, particularly if you intend to rent or buy a television or video recorder in time for Christmas. The ultra low prices we can offer on rental or sales packages will astound you, and what a marvellous gift for the family.

SMALL ADVERTISEMENTS

50p is charged for each advertisement (maximum 50 words) which should be paid in advance to Martin Avery (Editor). 'Lost and Found' entries are free. Village organisations can have free entries here or elsewhere even for their fund raising advertisements unless a full display layout is required.

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WANTED - Garage in Bar Hill to rent, preferably in or near The Brambles. Tel: CH 82104

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WORK THAT BODY with the Body Workout at Bar Hill Village Hall. Classes consist of Aerobic and stretch exercises - beginners are welcome. Price £1.50
Times of classes Monday 6.45pm - 7.45pm
Wednesday 7.30pm - 8.30pm
For more details ring Bishops Stortford (0279)58695

FOR SALE Computer - Acorn Atom - Expanded 64k memory with programmers toolbox (extra commands). Complete with teaching literature and various software including Galaxian, 747, and VDU program. Suitable serious learner, not games (black and white only), but ideal for file handling, records storage etc. Excellent working order £75 o.n.o. Tel. CH 80329

FOR SALE ATARI Z600 computer video game with joystick controls and paddles. 4 cartridges - Pac Man, Phoenix, River Raid and ET. Hardly used. £65 o.n.o. Tel 81534
30 Almond Grove.

FOR SALE New Dorma quilt cover kingsize, pillow cases and curtains 66" x 58" to match. Gold, small white flower, brown trim, £25

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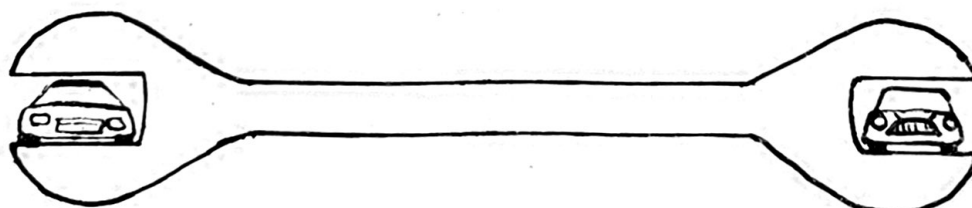
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